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SUBJ: GUATEMALA -COFFEE SITUATION, AGR. RPT. GT-7014

REF: FASTO CIRC 65, REPORT CODE 3AL GUATEMALA

AS OF FEB 11 GUATEMALA HAS ISSUED EXPORT PERMITS FOR COFFEE TOTALLING 1,022,642 BAGS (60 KGMS) INCLUDING 145,234 CARRIED OVER FROM 1975-76 CROP. 1976-77 CROP IS NOW ESTIMATED AT 2,534,000 BAGS. APPROXIMATELY 75-80 PERCENT OF 1976-77 CROP HAS BEEN COLLECTED. THERE IS A REDUCTION IN PRODUCTION FROM THAT PREVIOUSLY REPORTED AS A RESULT OF A LACK OF MOISTURE IN THE SOUTHEASTERN AREA. THE FULL EFFECT OF THIS DRY PERIOD IS LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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NOT KNOWN AT THIS TIME.

PRODUCER-EXPORTER CONTRACTS ARE NOW BEING FULFILLED AND NO FURTHER EXPORT CONTRACTS HAVE BEEN REPORTED BROKEN.

A REPORTED SMUGGLING OF 200,000 BAGS FROM MEXICO HAS BEEN DENIED BY GOG AND TRADE OFFICIALS, CLAIMING THAT IT IS NOT

## POSSIBLE WITHOUT THEIR KNOWLEDGE.

## GUATEMALA - COFFEE SUPPLY AND DISTRIBUTION (60-KGM. BAGS)

1975-76 (FINAL) 1976-77 (REVISED)

BEGINNING STOCKS 168,000 149,995

PRODUCTION 2,244,321 2,534,000

TOTAL SUPPLY 2,413,121 2,683,995

CONSUMPTION 289,600 298,300

EXPORTS 1,973,526 2,373,000

ENDING STOCKS 149,995 12,695

TOTAL DISTRIBUTION 2,413,121 2,683,995

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